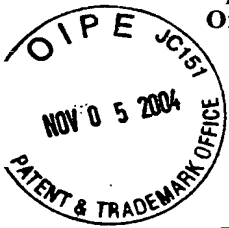


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In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated **September 27, 2004**, reconsideration of the amendment filed on July 12, 2004 is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page _____ of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
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